



2002 Census of Agriculture Senate District Profile

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Senate District 33, Pennsylvania

Number of farms	2,920
Land in farms (acres)	453,256
Average size of farm (acres)	155
Irrigated Acres	5,421
Total Number of Farm Operators	4,510
Market Value of Production (dollars)	384,910,000
Market Value of Production, average per farm (dollars)	131,818
Government Payments (dollars)	9,102,000
Government Payments, average per farm (dollars)	12,202
Gross Income from Farms Related Sources (dollars) 1/	11,578,000

FARMS BY SIZE

1-9 Acres/Farm	262
10-49 Acres/Farm	949
50-179 Acres/Farm	972
180-499 Acres/Farm	560
500-999 Acres/Farm	137
1,000+ Acres/Farm	40

LAND USE

Farms with Cropland	2,631
Farms with Woodland	1,441
Farms with Other	1,917
Farms with Pasture and Rangeland	1,044

	Quantity	State Rank	Universe 2/
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MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)

Total value of agricultural products sold	384,910	3	50
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VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) 3/

Grains and oilseeds	14,514	2	42
Tobacco	-		15
Cotton and cottonseed	-		
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	3,804	13	45
Fruit, tree nuts, and berries	42,656	1	43
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture and sod crops	14,778	10	49
Cut Christmas trees and woody crops	2,789	4	41
Poultry and eggs	93,335	3	40
Cattle and calves	29,469	5	43
Milk products	137,816	2	39
Hogs and pigs	25,436	5	41
Sheep, goats, and their products	469	4	42
Horses, ponies, mules	9,435	2	39
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	32

Senate District 33, Pennsylvania, (continued)

	Quantity	State rank	Universe 2/
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Layers 20 weeks old and older	3,511,766	3	42
Turkeys	1,357,453	1	38
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	(D)	37
Cattle and calves	135,290	3	45
Hogs and pigs	129,905	4	40
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TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and green chop	113,824	6	45
Corn for silage	62,717	2	40
Corn for grain	45,318	7	43
Soybeans	33,127	2	39
All Wheat for grain	23,512	1	39
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FARMS BY VALUE OF SALES			
Less than \$1,000	657		
\$1,000 to \$2,499	332		
\$2,500 to \$4,999	295		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	219		
\$10,000 to \$19,999	237		
\$20,000 to \$24,999	77		
\$25,000 to \$39,999	119		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	49		
\$50,000 to \$99,999	170		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	377		
\$250,000 to \$499,999	220		
\$500,000 or more	168		
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	325,824		
Average per farm (dollars)	107,746		
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (\$1,000)	78,157		
Average per farm (dollars)	25,846		
PRINCIPAL OPERATORS BY PRIMARY OCCUPATION			
Farming	1,786		
Other	1,134		
PRINCIPAL OPERATORS BY GENDER			
Male	2,663		
Female	257		
Average age of principal operator (years)	52		
ALL OPERATORS BY RACE 4/			
White	4,326		
Black or African American	9		
American Indian or Alaska Native	6		
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1		
Asian	8		
More than one race	3		
All operators with Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin	23		

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

1/ Custom work, farm rent, forest products, recreational services, cooperative dividends, animal boarding, tax refunds, etc.

2/ Universe is the number of senate districts in the state with the item. Pennsylvania has 50 senate districts.

3/ Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

4/ Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.

5/ Items with a rank that cannot be disclosed are separated by a blank line. Position in the table does not indicate rank.